

About Sonja Peterson

Sonja Peterson is the Class Counsel from Minnesota Disability Law Center (MDLC) in *K.O. v. Jett*. Sonja is a Staff Attorney at MDLC. She is an accomplished litigator representing people with disabilities in discrimination claims against businesses, government, education, real estate, and employers. Sonja has decades of experience representing plaintiffs in discrimination and employment matters before State and Federal Courts and administrative agencies. She served as President of a law firm that specialized in plaintiff-side discrimination cases for over 10 years. She presided as an Attorney Commissioner over dozens of cases and appeals through the Minneapolis Civil Rights Commission. She has also served as co-chair for the Minnesota State Bar Association (MSBA) Human Rights Committee. In, 2000, Sonja received the MSBA Award “For outstanding work in the advancement of human rights.”